

### REMARKS

Claims 5-9, 11-13, 16, and 27-28 have been amended in this paper to correct certain dependency issues under U.S. patent law. Additionally, Claims 17-22, 29, and 31-32 have been canceled. No new matter has been entered by way of the amendments. After entry of this paper, claims 1-16, 23-28, and 30 remain pending in this application.


### CONCLUSION

In view of the amendments presented herein, Applicant respectfully requests a timely Notice of Allowance to follow in this case. Applicant requests that the Examiner telephone the undersigned in the event a telephone discussion would be helpful in advancing the prosecution of the present case. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or underpayment of fees during the prosecution of the present application to Deposit Account 07-1509.

Respectfully submitted,

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